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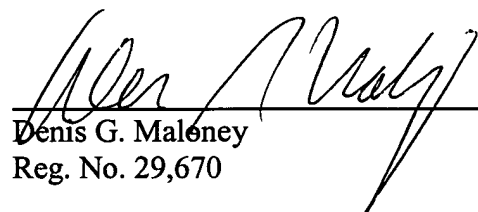
Enclosed is a corrected Brief and Appendix (in triplicate) that updates the status of claims 10-12 and 39-42 as canceled, and corrects claim 13.

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